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Monessen City

School District Factsheet

Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 44th in the country in state share of education costs. Pennsylvania also has the widest gap in the U.S. between the highest and lowest spending school districts.

What does this mean for the Monessen City School District?

32%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Monessen City.

5

The number of times Monessen City has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

415

Monessen City rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

\$323,169

The increase in state funding for Monessen City if it were fully funded by the state.

Contact these elected officials

to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

Senator

Sen. Pat Stefano (R)

Representative

Rep. Justin Walsh (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$18,238

Current spending per student in Monessen City.

82

Monessen City rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).



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Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

-\$-678,904
(-7%)

Change in instructional costs for the district

+\$78,749
(1%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

-16%
-\$371,621

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+13%
+\$80,826

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+96%
+\$317,638

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students 775	Performance - Students on Grade Level		Child Poverty Rate	
	Reading: 3rd 53%	Math: 7th 8%	School District 29%	Statewide 18%

To view sources of this information please visit www.paschoolswork.org/data